expenditure incurred, the amount paid to the contractor for the work under departmental supervision ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—Yes.

Transport of timber without passes.

124. Mr. C.A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state what is the explanation of the subordinates who allowed the transport of Mugaseth's timber without passes referred to in the answer to question No. 202 (d) of the Budget Session of 1104 ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—On account of exigencies of the transport, the logs were allowed to be transported on proper invoices as per the orders of the Conservator of Forests.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know whether it is not a violation of the rule to allow transport of timber without passes ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—Yes, it is a violation. It was done on account of the exigencies of the transport as per orders.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—What were the exigencies ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—There was deficiency of stock of timber for transport to the Tramway.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—The timber was sold to Mr. Mugaseth at Chalakkudi. He transported that.

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—There was deficiency of stock for the work of the Tramway.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—The transport was from Chalakkudi to Ernakulam of Mugaseth's timber without passes. What is the deficiency ?

President.—No question of Tramway transport arises. This is from Chalakkudi to Ernakulam. No passes are necessary for transport from Chalakkudi to Ernakulam. Passes are for transport from the Hills to Chalakkudi. So there is no violation of any rule.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know what was the exact explanation given by the subordinates ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—That is the explanation.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Which ? Will you kindly read that explanation ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—I have not got the file here.

Public servants removed on account of chronic indebtedness.

125. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the Table:—

(a) a list of Government servants who were removed from

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